

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Chad C. Roue	Examiner:	Manuel A. Mendez
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Title	Method of Closing an Opening in a Wall of the Heart		

Printed Name: Mary S. Keller

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313

This is responsive to the outstanding Office Action mailed August 2, 2007. Reconsideration and allowance of this application are respectfully solicited in view of the following amendments and remarks.

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